

REMARKS

The amendments to the specification correct for typographical errors.

Claim 17 is amended.

Claims 29-34 are canceled.

Claims 35-40 are new.

Support for all amended and new Claims is found in original Claims 17 and 29-34, and on pages 20-21 of the specification.

Applicants thank Examiner Nazario-Gonzales for allowing Claims 1-28.


On May 17, 2005, the undersigned discussed the 35 U.S.C. § 112 second paragraph rejection of Claims 29-34 with Examiner Nazario-Gonzales. The Examiner indicated that amending Claims 29-34 to state how the thin film is formed, such as by thermally decomposing through a MOCVD process, could overcome the rejection. Accordingly, Applicants have canceled Claims 29-34 and replaced these Claims with new Claims 35-40 which incorporate the Examiner's suggestions.

Upon entry of the amendment, Claims 1-28 and 35-40 will be active.

No new matter is believed to have been added. An allowance of the claims is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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